

# Hi Lighter

Hanover Park

March/April 2008

## Hanover Park Fire Department Invites Interested Residents to be Part of the New Fire Corps

The Department of Homeland Security Citizen Corps Program recently gave its stamp of approval to the Hanover Park Fire Department's request to create a Fire Corps team. Fire Corps is a key component of the Citizens Corps initiatives introduced by President George W. Bush after the attacks of September 11, 2001. This grass roots effort was developed as a way to enable local citizens to be actively involved in making their communities and the nation safer, stronger, and better prepared to take action during an emergency. Currently, there are over 2,300 local Citizen Corps Councils which serve over 78% of the total U.S. population.



After successful completion of Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) training, interested Hanover Park residents may apply for membership in the Fire Corps program.

The Fire Corps team is a group of citizen volunteers who provide assistance to the Village of Hanover Park Fire Department in multiple ways, including public education initiatives and firefighter rehab duties at emergency scenes and training evolutions.



The Hanover Park Fire Department Fire Corps Incident Rehab team has already been called into service at emergency incidents in Hanover Park, Bloomingdale, Bartlett and Streamwood (see photos above and right).

Fire Corps members must attend training on the third Tuesday of every month from 6:30 p.m. until 10:00 p.m. Uniforms and training are provided at no cost.

If you are interested in becoming a Fire Corps member, please contact Battalion Chief James L. Larsen at (630) 736-6805 or [jlarsen@hpil.org](mailto:jlarsen@hpil.org)



## Wood Chips — Free for the Asking, and Free Delivery Too

The Village will deliver loads of wood chips, a by-product of the Village's brush pickup program, to residents free of charge. Each load will average about four cubic yards – enough to fill an area six feet by six feet by three feet high (6' x 6' x 3').

The Public Works Department will deliver the wood chips and will dump them in the driveway only. Wood chips will not be dumped on driveway aprons, sidewalks, or lawns. Please stop by the Public Works facility (rear of the building) before ordering to take a look at the wood chips. For more information or to request a delivery, please call the Public Works Department at (630) 372-4440.

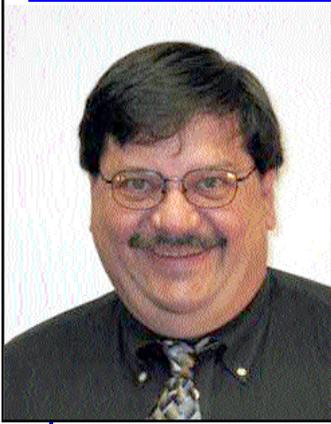
## Come Early for the Best Bargains At Annual Police Auction on May 17

If you're looking for a great buy on a bike, TV, stereo, sports equipment, jewelry, auto parts and more, mark your calendar for Saturday, May 17 and plan to attend the annual Police Auction of unclaimed property. The event will be held rain or shine in the Public Works garage, 2121 W. Lake Street. Previewing begins at 8:00 AM; a professional auctioneer will put the first item up for bid at 9:00 AM.

All sales are final. Bidders are required to sign in to participate.



## Rodney Craig



## Minute with the Mayor . . .

This winter brought many exciting things to our hometown. On January 16, 2008, the Hanover Park Chamber of Commerce and Industry was born. It is open to all businesses, individuals, and non-profit organizations. Patricia Langenstrass is the President, and she can be reached at (630)-372-2009.

The Mallard Lake Landfill continues to deal with the problem of methane gas with oversight from the EPA. It appears the extent of the underground escape has been identified and a complete recovery process is being developed at this time. I have a high level of confidence that the problem will be resolved this year. I'm pleased to say we have seen a high level of professionalism across all organizations who are seeking to resolve the problem in a timely manner.

Congressman Roskam and State Senator John Millner have been instrumental in assisting me to have direct contact with the EPA in Washington and the Illinois EPA State Director.

Concerning our ongoing discussions surrounding the proposed Wind Turbine Generator, I continue to discuss the merit of the project in terms of tax savings and energy independence with our Congressman, State Senators, and State Representatives. I seek to identify solutions that can meet our needs and alternatives to doing nothing at all as I continue to support the school district's plan.

I continue to encourage residents to join with friends and family in the fight against cancer. The Tri-Village Relay For Life chose Hanover Park as a highlight for our 50th anniversary year. I'm really pleased with the collaboration between the Park District and the Village with this endeavor. I am also pleased that Hanover Township will participate as they come to highlight their Social Services and the ongoing values they provide everyday. A link to register for the Relay For Life site is available on the Village website. Finally, it was a pleasure to meet Hanover Park resident and 2007 Honorary Survivor Chair, Jenny Konstanzer at the kick-off.

A new business initiative I recently discovered in Hanover Park is the "Take Care Health Clinic." We are very excited to have this new endeavor of Walgreen's in Hanover Park providing convenient, accessible, and most importantly affordable health care on a walk-in basis. Stop by and check it out at County Farm Road and Sterns Road.

Congratulations to Einstein School, Robert Kaplan, Principal, and Linda Walser, PTA President, for their wonderful 50th Anniversary Celebration of Reading and Writing. The students created essays about why they like Hanover Park. These essays are special and full of the value for our diverse culture. What a great event! Jessica Harberts really rolled it all up for me when she wrote: "I learn new things everyday with my classmates. Do you know why? They are all different. They have different cultures, beliefs, and they sometimes speak different languages!" Thank you, Jessica. We do value our differences.

Finally, I will continue to monitor the code enforcement and inspection process in the Village. The overcrowding and code issue in the rental units in our town pose public safety concerns. We don't have to reinvent the process as many of our neighboring communities have demonstrated successful approaches to ensure that codes are enforced and that our neighborhoods are safe and maintained. This year's budget will include a new employee to handle these inspections to be paid for by the landlords licensing fees.

Overall, I'm proud and honored to serve the residents of Hanover Park. Our town is more diverse than many and that is a benefit to those who have chosen to make Hanover Park their home. We enjoy a cultural richness that represents the global world and the global economy. It continues to be my pleasure and a blessing to represent the people of Hanover Park, our hometown. I hope you will take an opportunity to get involved.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Rod".

Rod Craig, Village President  
[RCraig@hпил.org](mailto:RCraig@hпил.org)

## 12 Village Streets Scheduled for Resurfacing

The Village of Hanover Park will be resurfacing 12 streets throughout the Village this spring.

The work will begin in May and will consist of grinding approximately two inches of existing asphalt off of the 12 streets and replacing with a new two inch thick asphalt surface course. Prior to the resurfacing, drainage structures will be rebuilt, sections of deteriorated pavement will be patched, and deteriorated sections of curb and gutter will be replaced. The resurfacing is expected to be completed by the end of June.

<u>Street</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>
Old Mill Lane	Cumberland Drive	Stratford Lane
Stratford Lane	Cumberland Drive	Old Mill Lane
Chestnut Street	Sycamore Avenue	Poplar Avenue
Church Street	Walnut Avenue	Laurel Avenue
Pine Tree Street	Walnut Avenue	200 feet north
Deerfield Court	Andover Drive	Dead end
Edison Circle	Arlington Drive	Arlington Drive
Charleston Court	Andover Drive	Dead end
Windmill Drive	Schick Road	County Farm Road
Pastoral Lane	Windmill Drive	Windmill Drive
Brookbank Drive	Leeward Lane	Windward Lane
Sycamore Avenue	East Avenue	Mulberry Street



### George Dimidik New Head of Village's Information Technology

George Dimidik joined the Village of Hanover Park staff in February as the new Chief Information Officer of the Information and Technology Department.

Dimidik brings with him more than 18 years of experience in both municipal and private sector information management, as well as extensive hands-on technical skills in software development and network deployment. Prior to joining the Village of Hanover Park staff, Dimidik served as Assistant Director of Information Technology in the Village of Schaumburg.

## Thanks, Corporate Sponsors!

The Village of Hanover Park would like to extend a special thank you to those businesses who have participated in our Corporate Partnership Program

### **GOLD LEVEL**

Bell, Boyd & Lloyd	Nitto Kohki USA, Inc.
Camcraft	Round Ground Metals
Classic Computer Systems	S. B. Friedman & Company
Dino's Finer Foods	Sebert Landscaping
First Eagle National Bank	Spectra-Tech, Inc.
Medo USA	Ultra Foods

### **SILVER LEVEL**

Alvarez Jewelry	Apple Hill Consulting
Applied Controls	Avalon Petroleum Co., Inc.
Baxter and Woodman	Consoer Townsend
Dutch Valley Landscaping	Fellowes, Inc.
Harris Bank	HD Supply Waterworks
NB Corporation of America	Northwest Collectors
Prime Construction	Samelson & Payne
Schirott & Lutkehans	Standard Industrial Supply
Stephen A. Laser Associates	The Write Stuff
Time Out West Sports Pub	

## Sewer Backups in Your Basement? Village Will Help Pay Cost of an Overhead Sewer

If you have experienced sewer backups from floor drains or fixtures, we have good news for you.

The Village may be able to help cover the cost of the installation of an overhead sewer system, which can help prevent such backups in your basement.

The Village's program covers 75% of the cost of the installation work, up to \$5,000. You, the homeowner, are responsible for the remainder.

If you are interested in learning more about this program, call the Public Works Department at (630) 372-4440 between 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

# New Water and Sewer Rates Effective May 1

The Village Board recently approved a water and sewer rate adjustment effective May 1, 2008. The last water and sewer rate increase was effective July 1, 2004, nearly four years ago. The Village purchases Lake Michigan water from the City of Chicago. Chicago recently announced a three-year water rate increase of 15% effective January 1, 2008 and 2009 and 14% effective



January 1, 2010. This rate increase will affect the Village's water rate. In addition, the Village had a Water and Sewer Rate Study performed by Baxter & Woodman, Inc. during the prior fiscal year. They recommended an increase to the Village's rates to cover operating expenses and to allow for future improvements to infrastructure including water mains and sewer lines. Some of the Village's water and sewer infrastructure is over 50 years old and in need of

replacement. A decrease in the minimum water bill consumption amount from 14,000 gallons to 12,000 gallons was also recommended. The minimum bill addresses the need to cover the fixed costs associated with providing water service to the residents including billing, meter reading, and equipment and infrastructure maintenance. The 12,000-gallon minimum bill amount approximates the median residential consumption for the Village. As in the past, eligible residential customers over the age of 65 are not subject to the minimum bill.



A four-year annual rate increase of 8.00% for water and 4.5% for sewer was approved as follows:

	<b>Current Rates</b>	<b>May 1, 2008</b>	<b>May 1, 2009</b>	<b>May 1, 2010</b>	<b>May 1, 2011</b>
Minimum Water Bill Amount	\$50.54	\$46.80	\$50.52	\$54.60	\$58.92
Water Rate	\$3.61	\$3.90	\$4.21	\$4.55	\$4.91
DuPage County Sewer Rate	\$4.18	\$4.37	\$4.57	\$4.78	\$5.00
Cook County Sewer Rate	\$1.55	\$1.62	\$1.69	\$1.77	\$1.85

The rates are per 1,000 gallons of water used during the two month billing period. Sewer rates are lower in Cook County because Cook County residents pay an additional sewer charge on their property tax bills to the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District for sewage treatment. DuPage County residents submit their entire payment for sewer service, including treatment, to the Village because the Village operates the sewage treatment plant for customers in DuPage County.

Customers using less than 13,000 gallons per bimonthly billing period will see a reduction in their water and sewer bill in the first year of the rate adjustment due to the decrease in the minimum water bill amount. A chart showing the impact of the rate adjustment on sample customer's bimonthly water and sewer bills in the first year follows:

<b>Bimonthly Usage (Gallons)</b>	<b>Bimonthly Water and Sewer Bill</b>					
	<b>DuPage County</b>			<b>Cook County</b>		
	Current	May 1, 2008	Increase (Decrease)	Current	May 1, 2008	Increase (Decrease)
8,000	\$83.98	\$81.76	(\$2.22)	\$62.94	\$59.76	(\$3.18)
11,000	\$96.52	\$94.87	(\$1.65)	\$67.59	\$64.62	(\$2.97)
20,000	\$155.80	\$165.40	\$9.60	\$103.20	\$110.40	\$7.20

Please contact the Village's water billing department at (630) 372-4233 with any questions on the new water and sewer rates.

## Welcome New Businesses!

We are pleased to welcome the following new businesses to Hanover Park:

### **Liberty Tax Service**

5533 County Farm Road  
(630) 854-1483

### **Liberty Income Tax Service**

7201 Olde Salem  
(630) 372-7582

### **Take Care Health Illinois PC**

5500 County Farm Road  
(866) 825-3227

### **Latindeal**

1639-A Irving Park Road  
(847) 493-9669

### **Chicago Funding**

1300 Greenbrook  
(630) 823-4800

### **Greenbrook Cleaners**

(formerly Bharti's Alterations)  
1182 Lake Street  
(630) 830-5666

The following businesses have NEW OWNERS:

### **Irving Park Dunkin' Donuts**

1511 Irving Park Road  
(630) 289-1060

### **Barrington Dunkin' Donuts**

7448 Barrington Road  
(630) 540-1740

### **Citgo Hanover Park**

2370 Lake Street  
(630) 830-9931

### **Long John Silvers**

800 Irving Park Road  
(630) 830-1270

### **Sea Lions Dive Center Int'l**

1158 Lake Street  
(630) 289-1680

### **Krispy Kreme Doughnuts**

7425 Barrington Road  
(630) 830-4100

## All About Wireless Joins Hanover Park Business Community

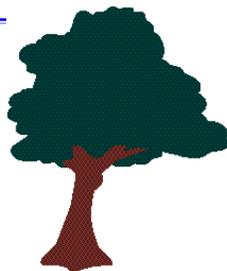
Village officials, members of the CONECT Committee, and other business leaders recently joined Dan Flowers in a ribbon-cutting ceremony for All About Wireless, one of the newest members of our business community. All About Wireless is located directly across the street from the Hanover Park train station in Church Street Station, one of the highest traffic count corridors in the Village.

The name says it all. Anything wireless is what you'll find here. Owner Dan Flowers, also one of CONECT's newest members, is eager to assist you whether you are looking for your first cell phone, an upgrade from your existing phone, or a new Blackberry. A wide variety of accessories is also available here.

We hope you stop by and welcome Dan to the Village while you check-out the latest wireless technologies available on the market today.



Village Officials and U.S. Cellular District Manager Dan Flowers cut the ribbon at the new All About Wireless.



*The Village of Hanover Park  
cordially invites all  
residents to our*

## **50th Anniversary Arbor Day Celebration**

*at 9:30 a.m. on April 25, 2008 at  
Elsie Johnson School, celebrating  
its 25th anniversary this year!*

## Household Hazardous Waste Collection

**When:** Saturday, May 3  
8:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

**Where:** Elmhurst Public Works Garage  
985 S. Riverside Drive  
(north of Roosevelt Road and  
south of St. Charles Road on  
east side of IL Route 83)

**What:** Cell phones, pool chemicals,  
automotive fluids, mercury,  
poisons, wood stain & varnish,  
oil based paints, insecticides,  
fertilizers/pesticides, cleaning  
solvents, household batteries

Call (630) 407-6760 for information.

## CONECT Committee Members

**A&A Music Academy**

Anita and Don Komorski

**All About Wireless**

Dan Flowers

**Alvarez Jewelry**

Leticia Alvarez

**Charter National Bank and Trust**

William Mingotti

**Classic Computer Systems**

Kevin Swan

**E. Kinast Distributors**

William Schierer

**First Eagle National Bank**

Paula Wegner

**Hanover Park Branch Library**

Gail Tobin

**Hanover Park Park District**

Rick Wulbecker & Michelle Macholl

**Hanover Quick Wash**

Phil McBride

**Jimmy John's**

Sandra and Brad Simousek

**La Luz De Morelos Bakery**

Ray Hernandez

**Menard's**

Bob Morris & John Sciortino

**MIDCO**

Robert Reis & Jodi Ehrhardt

**Nitto Kohki USA, Inc.**

Michelle Parker

**Paragon Group I, Ltd.**

Glenn Dailey

**Re/Max Boardwalk**

Patti Besler & Mark Ede

**Ultra Foods**

Steve Sprandel

**Board Liaison**

Sherry Craig

**Staff Liaison**

Patrick Grill

**The CONECT Committee  
Mission Statement:**

CONECT is a business oriented networking organization involved in the community. CONECT was formed to support and grow the local business community through networking, education and development.

## HOT OFF THE GRILL

by Patrick Grill,  
Community Development Director

Will this winter weather ever end? My thoughts have turned to Spring, and all I have to look at is snow. I'm anxious for spring because it means that we can get started on a number of different projects. First and foremost however, I want to take this opportunity to welcome the new Hanover Park Chamber of Commerce and Industry and its President, Patricia Langenstrauss. Community leaders have put considerable effort over the last 12 months into creating this organization. Their work is to be commended, and I'm looking forward to working with Patricia and the "Chamber". In fact, when I finish this article, I'm sending in my application to join.

My staff is currently reviewing several development plans, the largest being a 217,000 square foot Menards Home Improvement center. This building is proposed for the old Tradewinds Shopping Center property at the northeast corner of Barrington Road and Irving Park Road. We are also reviewing construction plans for a new Bank of America that will replace the Blockbuster building at the same corner. This corner could be very busy this summer.

Along Lake Street, west of Barrington Road, there are three projects that could be moving forward this spring. The first is a 150-bed skilled nursing care facility operated by NuCare. This would be a four-story, all brick building located along the north side of Lake Street about halfway between Church Street and Center Avenue. NuCare would like to begin construction of this \$18 million dollar facility by sometime in March or April.

Immediately west of this site is the former Lakewood Restaurant. Staff is currently processing a variance for this property that was necessitated by the expansion of Lake Street a few years ago. The new plan is to raze the old building on the west side of the lot and build a new brick restaurant serving Italian food for lunch and dinner on the east side of the property. The plans include an outdoor seating area on the west side of the building to take advantage of the evening sun, and for those of us that like to eat "al fresco".

At the northeast corner of Lake Street and Center Avenue is the old Suburban Tire. Plans and agreements are being prepared that include demolition of the existing building and construction of a new Suburban Tire facility. It is anticipated that the owner, Steve Leffler, will try to gain LEED-certification for this structure. Staff is currently processing a variance and special-use request for this site which should be before the Development Commission in March or April.

All in all, 2008 could be a break-out year for commercial development in Hanover Park. C'mon Spring!





February Meet & Greet at First Eagle Bank

### February 'Meet & Greet' Event attracts Business Leaders, Introduces New Hanover Park Chamber of Commerce

More than 40 enthusiastic business leaders and Village officials attended the CONECT Committee's "Meet and Greet" in February. The event was held at the First Eagle Bank on Lake Street. Highlights included introducing the Mayor's Choice Business of the Year winner, Camcraft, Inc., and finalists – Hanover Park Animal Clinic, Alvarez Jewelry, Crown Trophy, Norbert Pools, and Prairie Station Pub. The Mayor's Choice Business of the Year is awarded annually based on nominations from the community and voted on by the CONECT Committee.

The Meet & Greet also provided an introduction to the newly formed Hanover Park Chamber of Commerce & Industry, Inc. As part of the evening's activities, Village President Rod Craig presented Kevin Swan, Chairman of the Board of the Hanover Park Chamber of Commerce & Industry, Inc., with a check from the Village in support of the Chamber's first year initiatives.

Look for more "Meet & Greet" opportunities in the future.

## Spotlight on Business

### Camcraft

One of the many highlights of Hanover Park's 50th Anniversary Dinner in February was Mayor Rod Craig's presentation of the Mayor's Choice Award for Business of the

Year. This year's award went to Camcraft, a family-owned business primarily serving the truck and diesel automotive industry. Originally founded in 1950 in Franklin Park, Camcraft has been a fixture in Turnberry Lakes Business Park since 1994.

About two years ago, Camcraft completed a 21,000 square-foot expansion that increased the size of its building to 110,000 square feet. Following completion of the expansion, sales doubled. Camcraft currently employs 220 people at its facility on Muirfield Drive.

One of the many factors associated with the Mayor's Choice Award is involvement in the community. This is an area where Camcraft excels. For the past 12 years, the company has partnered with 5th and 6th graders from Parkwood Elementary School. The students spend their lunch hour over a five week period to build and fly an airplane. In addition, the 6th graders build an RC car and race it on a track at Camcraft's facility. Camcraft also operates a similar program with a local church and an after-school program called "Cross Roads".

Camcraft also sponsored a CONECT after-hours program last fall that attracted more than 60 people. Camcraft personnel offered tours of their expanded facility, giving attendees an "up close and personal" view of their operation.

This award marks the second time that Camcraft has won the

Mayor's Choice Award. Camcraft has the distinction of being the only two-time winner of the Mayor's Choice Award. Congratulations!



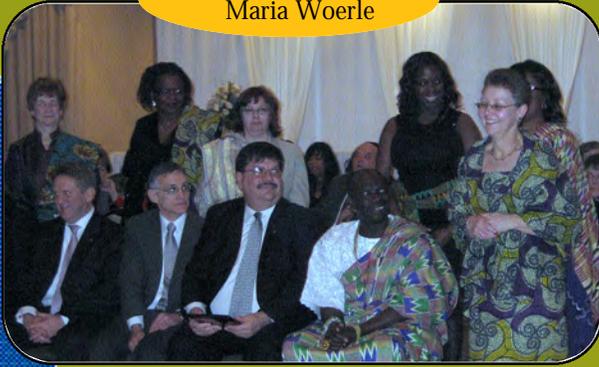
### 2008 Realtor's Luncheon Seminar

Thursday, May 1  
11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.  
at the

Hanover Park Fire Station No. 1  
**SAVE THE DATE!**

# Gala Dinner and Awards Night Kicks O

**Humanitarian of the Year:**  
Maria Woerle



The Village of Hanover Park kicked off its 50th Anniversary celebration with a Gala Dinner in February. More than 220 people, including elected officials, local businesses, committee volunteers and residents, attended the event.

Several awards were presented during the evening including the Mayor's Choice Business of the Year Award, Humanitarian Award, Service to Youth Award, Leadership in Education Award and Citizen of the Year. Also recognized were Village Committee members and businesses who have contributed to the Village's Corporate Partnership Program. Several special presentations were made to congratulate the Village on its 50th anniversary. Speakers for the evening included U. S. Representative Peter Roskam, Illinois State Senator Michael Noland, Mr. Leonard Henderson on behalf of Representative Fred Crespo, Cook County Commissioner Tim Schneider and representatives from Bloomingdale and Hanover Townships. Also in attendance were former Village elected officials Lou Barone, Frank Dalla Valle, Tom Evert, Steve Heller and Dale Stephens.



**Service to Youth Award:**  
Rick Roberts

### Humanitarian Award

The Humanitarian Award was presented to Ms. Maria Woerle, a member of the Sister City Committee from its inception. A traditional Ghanaian ceremony was performed to honor Ms. Woerle for her achievement. Members of the committee, Village Department Heads and representatives from our Sister City, Cape Coast Ghana participated. From the beat of the drum to the shaking of hands the audience was entranced with the respectful ceremony.

### Service to Youth Award

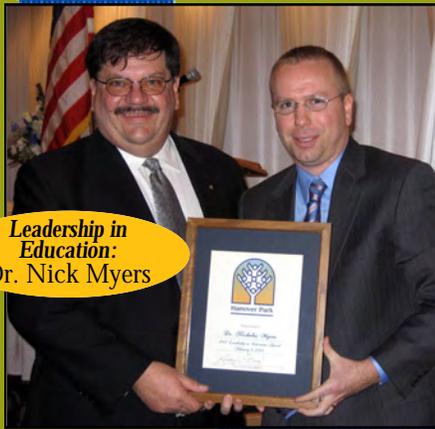
This Award was presented to Mr. Rick Roberts, President of the Hanover Park Hurricanes Football organization for six years, for his positive presence and influence with the youth of Hanover Park. His leadership brings a special meaning to compassion and teamwork in Hanover Park.

### Leadership in Education

Dr. Nick Myers, Principal of Anne Fox School, was presented with the Leadership in Education award for his work with the "No Excuses University" and the "Kids at Hope" Program, a belief system where all students will have support that will enable them to aspire and achieve their life's goals. He was also instrumental in the scholastic transition achieved at Anne Fox bringing them to the excellent standard they currently hold.

### Business of the Year

The "Mayor's Choice Business Award" program was developed by the Village's CONECT Committee to recognize outstanding achievement in the business



**Leadership in Education:**  
Dr. Nick Myers



**Mayor's Choice Business of the Year:**  
Camcraft



## ge's 50th Anniversary Celebration

community within the Village. The winner of the 2007 Mayor's Choice Business Award is Camcraft for their work not only with the Village but also the 12 year partnership with 5th and 6th graders from Parkwood Elementary School. Students spent five weeks (on their lunch hour) to build and fly an airplane or build a car. Nominees for the award included: Alvarez Jewelry, Crown Trophy, Hanover Park Animal Care Center, Norbert Pools and Prairie Station Pub.

### Citizen of the Year

Anita Komorski was presented the Citizen of the Year Award for her work in bringing culture to the Village by organizing and hosting its first annual Fine Art Fair. Ms. Komorski is also a member of the CONECT Committee and owns A & A Music/Ontarioville Art in Hanover Park.

## 50th Anniversary Calendar — A Year of Great Events and Activities!

An April **Arbor Day Ceremony** in conjunction with Elsie Johnson Elementary School. Elsie Johnson is celebrating their 25th anniversary this year.

On June 13-14 the **American Cancer Society Relay for Life** will be held at the Hanover Park Park District Community Center.. For more information go to [www.relayforlifebhps.com](http://www.relayforlifebhps.com)

A four day **Family Festival** is planned for August 14 (our official day of incorporation) to August 17. The fest will include a carnival, food, children's entertainment, a beer tent and midway games. The main stage entertainment includes: The Classic Rock All Stars, Survivor, Chuck Negrón, formerly of Three Dog Night and Blood, Sweat & Tears and Jan and Dean starring Dean Torrence.

The 2nd Annual **Fine Arts Fair** is scheduled for Sunday, September 21 in Jubilee Park.

Our annual **Holiday Tree Lighting** will be held December 5, 2008. Performances by the Spring Wood Middle School Choir and Band along with the Allegro Dancers are planned. And of course, Santa will be there!

**ATTENTION SCOUTS!** The Village will be recognizing all Hanover Park Eagle Scouts and Gold Girl Scouts at our Family Festival. Scouts who meet those levels are invited to contact Mark Masciola at (630) 372-4210 so they can be recognized.

For detailed information on the 50th Anniversary activities, please contact Kim Benedix, Executive Coordinator to the Village Manager at (630)372-4218.

## Strike Up the Band! Join the Parade!

Everybody loves a parade! And so of course Hanover Park's 50th Anniversary Family Festival will include one. The parade, which will take place in the vicinity of Walnut and Church Street, will be held on Saturday, August 16, 2008. The parade steps off at 10:30 a.m. with staging beginning at 8:30 a.m.

Please use the entry form below to indicate your interest in participating in the parade. All entries are welcome -- you need not be part of a formal organization. This year's theme is "A Celebration of Hanover Park's Youth," so Youth organizations are especially encouraged to participate.

If you have questions or need further information, contact Kim Benedix, Executive Coordinator to the Village Manager at (630) 372-4218 or [kbenedix@hpiil.org](mailto:kbenedix@hpiil.org)

## Hanover Park 50th Anniversary Family Festival Parade Application

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Organization (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_

Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Please fill out and mail to:  
Village of Hanover Park  
50th Anniversary Parade  
2121 W. Lake Street  
Hanover Park, IL 60133



# A Look Back at the Past . . . .

## Hanover Park Streets Clear Despite Big Snow! February 21, 1963

The big snow, high winds and bitter cold of the past weeks have not daunted Hanover Parks able snow removal crew headed by Anthony "Red" Bursha of 6970 Church Street, who also doubles as Village Water Commissioner. Red has been out at all hours keeping the Village streets clear, and has also managed to find time in between cat-naps to keep the access to the Hanover Park N Shop shopping center open.

Because of Commission Bursha's bravery against the cold, when even Illinois State Highway snow removal equipment was hard put to fight the elements, Hanover Park can boast having some of the best plowed streets in northwest Cook County. Also, thanks to the alertness of Mayor Gordon D. Jensen, the Village also has one of the best snow-plowed shopping centers around.

It happened this way: When the bad weather stunned the area suddenly last month, the shopping centers private maintenance crew was caught unpre-

pared. Equipment froze and could not be operated. For a while it looked as if there would be difficulty in keeping the parking area clear and the stores open. Barney Dahl, one of the owners of Hanover's Builders and also owner of the shopping center called Mayor Jensen who, with the cooperation of the energetic Bursha, promptly "saved the day."

Mayor Jensen told the Hanover Times that while village equipment should not be used on private property, he reasoned that the keeping of access to the stores clear was reasonable, right and proper in view of the fact that the village obtains a 1/2 cent tax on all sales made in the stores and thousands of dollars from the municipal tax levy. Couple these benefits with the fact that over half of the shoppers who spend money in the stores live outside the village boundaries, and we would like them to continue and come back and shop here. We want and need that revenue. Besides, he said, as long as our own village streets are clear and the snow plow is idle, we might as well earn some additional revenue, and benefit ourselves at the same time.

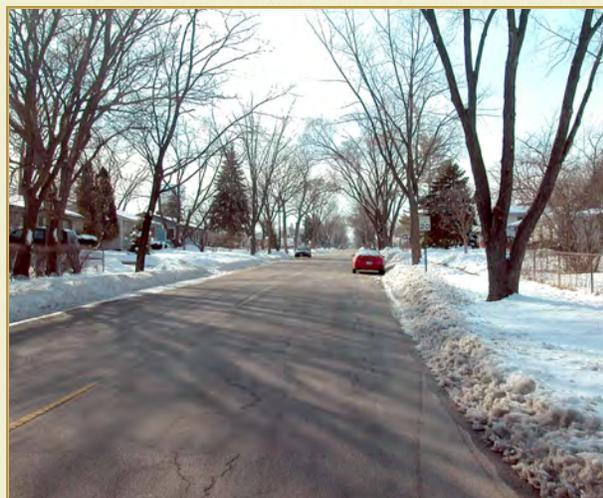
Commissioner Bursha was contacted and asked how he was able to operate at such a rapid pace in plowing the streets. His reply, "Man it was co-o-old! I wanted to hurry up and get back home where it was warm. You think I wanted to stay outside? A man could freeze to death."

From the February 21, 1963 *Hanover Times*. Thanks to Hanover Park resident Maryann Lindblad for providing this paper for our historical files.



## Hanover Park Continues to Provide Residents Safe Access February 26, 2008

The 2008 winter season has proved to be one for the record books. With over 54 inches of snow falling thus far, Hanover Park's snow removal crews have logged many man hours keeping streets clean and safe for its residents. The Village's snow fleet consists of nine large dump trucks and several smaller vehicles equipped with plows. To date, crews have completed over 30 salting/plowing operations and have used in excess of 2,600 tons of salt. With approximately 100 miles of streets, such a daunting task is readily handled by the hard work and dedication of the Public Works Department. In addition to the miles of streets, the Public Works Department also maintains the Commuter Parking Lot facilities. Crews are in well before the morning rush so commuters have a safe, snow-free area to park. As occurred in 1963 and remains 45 years later, the Village continues to provide excellent snow removal services.



That same Hanover Park street . . . today!

## Annual Spring Hydrant Flushing Begins On May 5

It's that time of year again. Beginning Monday, May 5 and continuing through Friday, May 16, the Village Water Division will be flushing hydrants throughout the Village. The flushing will occur between the hours of 6:00 AM and 2:00 PM. Notices will be posted in designated areas prior to flushing.

Residents should not wash laundry during the flushing hours as rust staining of clothing may result. Residents with water softeners are encouraged to check the cycle time of their softeners so that the unit does not regenerate during this period.

Residents often ask why the Village flushes fire hydrants every year. The answer is that regular hydrant flushing is a vital part of routine maintenance for the water system for these important reasons:

- **Improves water quality:** Flushing removes minerals such as iron and magnesium that have collected in the water mains.
- **Improves water flow:** By removing these minerals, the inside diameter of a water main is increased and therefore allows a better flow of water.
- **Hydrant maintenance:** A fire hydrant is a mechanical device. Operation of a hydrant lubricates internal mechanisms and gaskets.
- **Hydrant inspection:** Any deficiencies are noted and repaired as necessary to insure that each hydrant will perform when needed for an emergency.

Hydrants will be flushed by area according to the following schedule:

### **COOK COUNTY**

#### **May 5, 6, 7**

South of Irving Park Road, north of Lake Street, west of Barrington Road

#### **May 8, 9**

South of Irving Park Road and east of Barrington Road, (Hanover Highlands and Longmeadows South Areas)

#### **May 12, 13, 14, 15**

Jensen Boulevard east to Farmstead Lane, north of Irving Park Road to Cynthia Lane and Hastings Lane

### **DUPAGE COUNTY**

#### **May 5, 6, 7, 8**

South of Devon Avenue, east of Church Road, west of Arlington Drive East (Greenbrook Area) Fremont and Glens area.

#### **May 9, 12**

South of Stearns Road, north of Schick Road

#### **May 13, 14, 15, 16**

South of Schick Road to Army Trail Road, east of Bayside Drive to west of Kuhn Road and west of Windjammer Lane.

*Schedule subject to change due to weather conditions or emergencies!*



## Shine at Village Hall

(\*STudents Artists and AuthoRS Program)

The work of Hanover Highlands Elementary School's young artists was on display from January 17 through February 20. Artists included:

#### **First Grade:**

Furqaan Ahmed

#### **Second Grade:**

Nashay Beach

#### **Third Grade:**

Nomaan Ahmed,  
Elizabeth Corbeira, Cindy Kim

**Fourth Grade:** Mario Alba, Loren Badzinski, Ryan Rodriguez

**Fifth Grade:** Rupal Thakkar

**Fifth/Sixth Grade:** Jada Ross, Aldo Tagle-Garduno



The work of Horizon Elementary School's young artists was on display from February 21 through March 19. Artists included:

**Kindergarten:** Marissa Lullo, Augustus Walakhwon

**First Grade:** Nicole Devine

**Second Grade:** John Hernandez

**Third Grade:** Ethan Gaden

**Fourth Grade:** Anthony Hobock, Heba Qazi

**Fifth Grade:** Samantha Dzik, Isaiah Irwin

**Sixth Grade:** Shane Frazen, David Navarrete



## Brush Pickup Program Resumes April 7

The Village of Hanover Park's annual Brush Pickup Program will begin in April. Following are the procedures you'll need to follow in order to comply with requirements for the program.

### Set-Out Time – 7:00 AM

Brush can only be set out two days prior to 7:00 AM on your pick up day. Please do not put brush out after 7:00 AM on the first day of your collection cycle. Hold it for the next scheduled pickup. The Village incurs considerable cost returning to an area to collect brush set out after the first day of the collection cycle. It may take more than one day to pick up all the brush in a designated area. If brush is not picked up on the first day, it will still be picked up.

### Brush Pickup Schedule

#### April 7th – Area 1:

Streets north of Lake Street and west of Barrington Road.

#### April 14th – Area 2:

Streets north of Lake Street and east of Barrington Road

#### April 21st – Area 3:

Streets south of Lake Street and north of Lawrence Avenue

#### April 28th – Area 4:

Streets south of Lawrence Avenue

### What will be picked up:

- Branches a minimum of 2 feet in length and up to a maximum of 10 feet in length, and less than eight inches in diameter.

### What will NOT be picked up:

- Small hedge or pine clippings.
- Yard waste or brush in containers.
- Brush or branches with thorns.
- Tree stumps and roots.

### How to stack the brush:

- Brush should be stacked in one direction with the butt end toward the street.
- No lumber, wire, rope, or other materials may be included with the brush.
- Brush must NOT block the sidewalk.

Questions regarding the Village Brush Pickup Program should be directed to the Public Works Department, (630) 372-4440.

## ★ ★ ★ CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS ★ ★ ★

### APRIL

Thurs., April 3  
Thurs., April 3  
Mon., April 7  
Tues., April 8  
Tues., April 8  
Thurs., April 10  
Mon., April 14  
Wed., April 16  
Thurs., April 17  
Thurs., April 17  
Sat., April 19  
Mon., April 21  
Tues., April 22  
Thurs., April 24  
Fri., April 25  
Mon., April 28

### MAY

Thurs., May 1  
Thurs., May 1  
Mon., May 5  
Tues., May 6  
Thurs., May 8  
Tues., May 13  
Tues., May 13  
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Thurs., May 15  
Thurs., May 15  
Sat., May 17  
Sat., May 17  
Sat., May 17  
Tues., May 20  
Thurs., May 22  
Tues., May 27

### JUNE

Thurs., June 5  
Thurs., June 5  
Tues., June 10  
Tues., June 10  
Thurs., June 12  
Fri., June 13  
Sat., June 14  
Sat., June 14  
Wed., June 18  
Thurs., June 19  
Sat., June 21  
Tues., June 24  
Fri., June 27

50th Anniversary Committee	3:00 p.m.
Village Board meeting	7:30 p.m.
Brush pickup, Area 1	
CONNECT Committee	12:00 noon
Sister Cities Committee	8:00 p.m.
Development Commission	7:30 p.m.
Brush pickup, Area 2	
Cycles 1, 2, 5, 6, 7 & 8 water bills due	
STAARS - Albert Einstein	6:45 p.m.
Village Board meeting	7:30 p.m.
First Aid Class	8:00 a.m.
Brush pickup, Area 3	
Environmental Committee	7:00 p.m.
Elected officials call in program	7:00 p.m.
Arbor Day -- Elsie Johnson School	9:30 a.m.
Brush pickup, Area 4	

50th Anniversary Committee	3:00 p.m.
Village Board Meeting	7:30 p.m.
Hydrant flushing	
Hydrant flushing	
Development Commission	7:30 p.m.
Hydrant flushing	
CONNECT Committee	12:00 noon
Sister Cities Committee	8:00 p.m.
STAARS-Spring Wood Middle Sch.	7:00 p.m.
Village Board meeting	7:30 p.m.
CPR/AED class	8:00 a.m.
Maxwell Street	8:30 a.m.
Police Auction	9:00 a.m.
Cycles 3 & 4 water bills due	
Elected officials call in program	7:00 p.m.
Environmental Committee	7:00 p.m.

50th Anniversary Committee	3:00 p.m.
Village Board meeting	7:30 p.m.
CONNECT Committee	12:00 noon
Sister Cities Committee	8:00 p.m.
Development Commission	7:30 p.m.
Relay for Life	
Relay for Life	
Memorial Park dedication	2:00 p.m.
Cycles 1, 2, 5, 6, 7 & 8 water bills due	
Village Board meeting	7:30 p.m.
CPR/AED Class	8:00 a.m.
Environmental Committee	7:00 p.m.
Elected officials call in program	7:00 p.m.



## When the Snow Goes, It's Time to Get Out and Mow!

Spring is (hopefully!) right around the corner. And that means it's time for a friendly reminder that Village Ordinance 54-132 makes it unlawful for a property owner to allow any weed, grass or plant (except ornamental trees, bushes or flowers) to exceed eight inches in height. Neighborhoods remain pleasant places to live and property values are protected when property maintenance ordinances are followed. Contact the Code Enforcement Hot Line at (630) 372-4262 to report violations.

# NEWS You Can USE

from the Hanover Park Environmental and Utility Committee



The President and Board of Trustees passed a resolution supporting the Metropolitan Mayors Caucus Greenest Region Compact. The compact is a workbook of environmental actions local officials can undertake in their own community. The priority strategies include ways to conserve water, ideas to implement E-Waste recycling, and distribution of compact fluorescent light bulbs. The Environmental Committee will be evaluating these strategies and will be moving forward with the implementation of some of the programs.

### Compact Fluorescent Light Bulbs:

By supporting the Greenest Region Compact, the Village is eligible to receive a shipment of several thousand light bulbs to distribute to residents. More information will be available in future editions of the Hi-Lighter.

### E-Waste Recycling

The committee is currently investigating ways for the residents to properly dispose of their electronic goods. Several of the local stores, including OfficeMax, offer e-waste recycling. If you are looking for somewhere to recycle your old cell phones, go to [www.epa.gov/cellphone](http://www.epa.gov/cellphone) for additional information. The committee is also looking at the possibility of hosting an E-waste recycling event in the Village. More information will be available as plans are confirmed.

Celebrate The Earth

## Congratulations Coming in on Hanover Park's 50 Years of Incorporation!

**OGUAA TRADITIONAL COUNCIL**  
 Register's Office  
 P.O. Box 76  
 Cape Coast  
 C.R. Ghana  
 January 7, 2008: 20

Tel: 042-32611, 32923  
 Our Ref: .....  
 Your Ref: .....

The Mayor and People, Village of Hanover Park, Illinois, US.

**CONGRATULATORY MESSAGE!**

It is with a sense of pride that I, the Chiefs and People of Cape Coast join you in the celebration of Hanover Park's 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary.

I refer to the Sister-City Relationship between Cape Coast and the Village of Hanover Park which started in 1991 and has since deepened over the years. Our two cities have forged closer and our people have become the beneficiaries of this relationship.

I recall some of the projects we have jointly pursued in Cape Coast which have gone a long way to improve the living conditions of the people:

- Care and support for AIDS Orphans
- Establishment of pre-natal clinics for Women suffering from HIV/AIDS
- Educational scholarships for needy students.
- Sanitation and neighbourhood clean-up campaigns

It is our hope that this relationship will continue to grow from strength to strength until every citizen of our two cities comes to the realization that they have a brother and a sister on the other side of the globe.

We therefore wish our entire sister citizens of Hanover Park happy anniversary! May the good Lord continue to watch over you and may He continue to grant you many, many more Jubilee Years.

Sincerely,

*Osabarimba Kwesi Atta II*  
 Osabarimba Kwesi Atta II  
 Paramount Chief of Cape Coast  
 President of Oguaa Traditional Council

**BANKERS:** Ghana Commercial Bank, Cape Coast

**Congressional Record**  
 PROCEEDINGS AND DEBATES OF THE 110<sup>th</sup> CONGRESS, SECOND SESSION  
 WASHINGTON, THURSDAY, JANUARY 31<sup>st</sup>, 2008  
**House of Representatives**  
 HONORING THE 50<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF HANOVER PARK

HON. PETER J. ROGRAM  
 OF ILLINOIS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mr. ROGRAM. Madam Speaker, I am pleased to announce that the House of Representatives will honor the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Hanover Park, Illinois, an amazing and important town in our congressional district.

Today, Hanover Park has grown to include more than 12,000 families. However, its history truly began in the 19th century when the community began to lay roots in southern Illinois.

With its close proximity to downtown Chicago and the major commercial centers surrounding O'Hare airport, Hanover Park represents the perfect blend between urban dynamism and suburban life.

Hanover Park also boasts the youngest average resident population in the Northern suburbs. Its multitude of parks, sporting venues, and youth and family friendly activities make this a great place to work, live, and raise a family.

The spirit of Hanover Park's citizens is matched only by the determination of its business community. From small entrepreneurial endeavors to Fortune 500 companies, Hanover Park's economy is thriving. This impressive economic growth is a testament to the hardworking residents, the Village President Rodney Cully, and

Hanover Park Board of Trustees to promote new business initiatives and champion economic development.

For over half of a century, the Village of Hanover Park has been a thriving community.

Madam Speaker and Distinguished Colleagues, please join me in recognizing the outstanding contributions of Hanover Park, Illinois on the occasion of its 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary.

*Peter J. Rogram*  
 Peter J. Rogram  
 Member of Congress



Hanover Park Sister Cities 2007 Delegation poses with Cape Coast Mayor Mercy Arhim and Town Manager Guy Sillo; (left to right) Frank Grant-Acquah, Cassandra Belton, Jennifer Vosyka, Mrs. Arhim, Elsie Johnson School Principal Cathy Ratcliffe, Mr. Sillo, Sister Cities Chair Linda McCance Packham.

### MESSAGE OF CONGRATULATION ON THE 50<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF CREATION OF HANOVER CITY

The Management of Cape Coast Municipal Assembly and the Chiefs and People of the City wish to warmly congratulate the management of Hanover City on the occasion of your 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. Though physically absent we want you to know that we share the glory and joy with you during this celebration and wish you all Prosperity and good health

It is our hope that the two cities i.e Cape Coast and Hanover will continue to nurture and foster the good relationship that has characterised our mutual co-existence. May God grant you a wonderful celebration.

HON. MERCY ARHIM  
 MAYOR OF CAPE COAST  
 CAPE COAST MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY  
 CAPE COAST

Osabarimba Kwesi Atta II is the "omanhen" or paramount chief of Oguaa, the ancient name of the area that includes modern Cape Coast. He and his 22 sub-chiefs are the traditional rulers of the land, stewards of the environment, guardians of the culture and hereditary protectors of the people.



# Hanover Park News Briefs

## **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT NOW HIRING SEASONAL EMPLOYEES**

The Village has immediate openings for full time seasonal laborers to work 40 hours per week, 6:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m., Monday thru Friday, in the Public Works Department. Those hired will work from April thru September or July thru December performing various manual tasks in the maintenance of Village property and/or the repair of roads and drainage structures, and other related work. An ability to understand and follow instructions and the ability to perform strenuous work in varying weather conditions is required.

Applicants must be at least 18 years of age, possess a valid driver's license and steel-toe safety shoes. Hiring is contingent on prospective employees passing an employer-paid drug screening.

The starting salary is \$10.00 per hour. Wage increases are based upon performance and the ability to meet established goals and objectives. Seasonal employees are not eligible for any benefits other than those required by law. The selection process will include a review of the candidate's past work experience, a personal interview, and background checks. Applications and further information may be obtained from the Village's website, [www.HanoverParkIllinois.org](http://www.HanoverParkIllinois.org) or at the Village Hall, 2121 W. Lake Street, or by calling (630) 372-4250.

## **VILLAGE HALL CLOSED FOR MEMORIAL DAY HOLIDAY**

The Village Hall will be closed on Monday, May 26 in observance of the Memorial Day holiday. The Police and Fire Departments will remain open.

## **CURBSIDE YARDWASTE COLLECTION BEGINS ON APRIL 4**

Allied Waste Services resumes regular yardwaste collection on Friday, April 4, 2008. Yardwaste stickers are available at Village Hall in addition to several retail outlets at a cost of \$2.00 per sticker (\$1.94 through June 2008). A yardwaste disposal sticker must be affixed to each Kraft paper yardwaste bag or through the handle of each plastic or metal container left at the curb.

## **SOME RESIDENTS MAY HAVE OPTION FOR AT&T U-VERSE**

Some Village residents now have a second choice for television and communication services. This past month, AT&T began offering AT&T U-verse <sup>SM</sup> TV as part of their AT&T Advanced TV portfolio package in northeastern Illinois. The AT&T U-verse <sup>SM</sup> package offers television and high-speed internet services delivered over an upgraded fiber network.

The AT&T U-verse <sup>SM</sup> TV product is offered over an Internet Protocol (IP)-based television service. The IP technology helps offer an integrated television and internet product and access to more than 40 HD channels in most markets.

The Cable and Video Competition Law of 2007 approved last fall, provides an environment to encourage new video providers in the Illinois markets to compete against incumbent cable providers. Some Village residents now can choose between Comcast and AT&T to obtain video, voice and internet services at competitive prices.

The AT&T U-verse <sup>SM</sup> service is not available to all Village residents at this time. To find out more information about the AT&T U-verse <sup>SM</sup> TV product and to check if it's available in your neighborhood, residents can visit <http://uverse.att.com> or can call 800-ATT-2020 (800-288-2020) or 877-U-ASK ATT (877-827-5288) for additional information.

Residents can also contact Comcast for video, voice and internet services. Comcast can be reached at <http://comcast.com> or can call 1-800-COMCAST (1-800-266-2278).

## **REIMBURSEMENTS AVAILABLE FOR SIDEWALK, CURB & GUTTER REPLACEMENT**

Are you planning on reconstructing your driveway this year? Do you think your sidewalk or curb and gutter should be replaced at the same time? If you answered yes to both questions, the Village may be able to assist you.

If your sidewalk needs to be replaced, the Village may contribute up to \$4.00 per square foot. For the curb and gutter, the reimbursement is up to \$15.00 per lineal foot.

For more information on the program, call the Public Works Department at (630) 372-4440 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

## **HOLIDAY LIGHTS STILL HANGING AROUND?**

Holiday lights and decorations brighten the season for everyone. But, there is a time and a place for everything, and now is the time to place your holiday decorations in storage in readiness for next year. If your holiday decorations are still hanging from the rooftop and adorning the front lawn, this is a friendly reminder that Village ordinance specifies that holiday decorations must be taken down within 90 days following the holiday. Thanks for your cooperation.



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### Important Telephone Numbers

Village Hall (630) 372-4200  
 Police Information (630) 372-4400  
 Public Works Department (630) 372-4440  
 Fire Department (630) 736-6800

Village Information Hotline (630) 372-4290

Code Enforcement Hotline (630) 372-4262

TDD (630) 372-4430  
 Village Hall fax (630) 372-4215  
 Police Department fax (630) 372-4420  
 Public Works Department fax (630) 372-4462

### Police, fire and ambulance 9-1-1

**Village Board meetings** are held the first and third Thursdays of the month at 7:30 PM at the Municipal Complex on Lake Street. The public is encouraged to attend.

### Standing committee meetings:

Call the Village Clerk's office at (630) 372-4220 for dates, times and locations of the following regularly scheduled meetings:

- Development Commission
- Hanover Park CONECT Committee
- Sister Cities Committee
- Environmental and Utility Committee

**Curfew hours** for those under 17 years of age are 11:00 PM Sunday-Thursday, and 12 AM on Friday and Saturday.

**For questions or concerns regarding Village services, call (630) 372-4200**

## Terrence Sherrill Named Police Sergeant



*Village President Rod Craig with Sergeant Sherrill, his wife Francesca, and Police Chief Ron Moser.*

**F**ourteen year Hanover Park Police Department veteran Terrence Sherrill was recently promoted to Police Sergeant. Sergeant Sherrill is a graduate of San Diego University with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Theatre, a background which has served him well in planning a variety of Crime Prevention activities.

During his tenure with the Village, Sergeant Sherrill has received numerous recognitions and commendations from both his department and other law enforcement agencies. Of particular note was his commendation in September 2000 when he was commended for his professionalism and compassion while assisting a woman in delivering a healthy baby girl. He has also received commendations for his outstanding work in DUI enforcement.

**Pay your water bill online!**  
[www.HanoverParkIllinois.org](http://www.HanoverParkIllinois.org)

**Look under "Services/Finance/Direct Pay"**  
**MasterCard, American Express and Discover may be used to pay bills online. Visa and MasterCard may only be used when paying in person at the Village Hall.**



### Got a question or concern? Elected officials hope you'll call to talk to them about it

Village of Hanover Park officials want to make it as easy as possible to talk to them about anything of special interest or concern to you. That's why they offer a special resident call-in program on the fourth Thursday of the month from 7:00-9:00 PM to answer your questions or hear your concerns. The phone number to call is (630) 372-4205.

The next call in dates are **April 24 and May 22**. We'd love to hear from you!

# Buy It or Sell It At Maxwell Street West!

Why host your own garage sale when we'll do all the hard work for you?

Hanover Park's popular Maxwell Street West brings out thousands of potential customers. All you have to do is set up your merchandise and wait for people to stop by your table.

Space is limited, so sign up today by filling out the application below and mailing it, along with your check, to reserve your space.



## Maxwell Street West – Saturday, May 17 Sign Up Today!!

**Yes, I want to reserve a space at the Village of Hanover Park's Maxwell Street West  
Hanover Park Commuter Parking Lot, Lake Street  
Saturday, May 17, 2008, 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m**

- One space, 9 feet wide by 18 feet deep      \$15.00  
 Two spaces, 18 feet wide by 18 feet deep      \$30.00

Make check payable to: Village of Hanover Park • 2121 W. Lake Street • Hanover Park, IL 60133

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Items to be sold \_\_\_\_\_

- Sale of live animals is prohibited.
- Absolutely no food products sold without prior approval.
- Vehicles to be brought into vendor area for loading and unloading of merchandise only.
- No vehicles permitted in vendor stall during Maxwell Street hours.

The Village reserves the right to restrict and prohibit the type of merchandise that can be sold from the Village's commuter parking lot. There will be NO sales of live animals, illegal products, weapons of any kind, sexually-oriented products, or other material that - in the sole discretion of the Village - is deemed inappropriate for this event. Questions regarding whether certain merchandise may be sold should be directed to the Village Clerk's office, (630) 372-4220.

### Village of Hanover Park

2121 W. Lake Street  
Hanover Park, IL 60133  
(630) 372-4200

#### VILLAGE HALL HOURS:

**Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday**      **8:00 AM-4:30 PM**  
**Thursday**      **8:00 AM-7:30 PM**

#### ELECTED OFFICIALS:

**Rodney S. Craig** Village President  
**Sherry L. Craig** Village Clerk

**Toni L. Carter**, Trustee  
**Wesley E. Eby**, Trustee  
**Lori A. Kaiser**, Trustee

**William J. Manton**, Trustee  
**Joseph J. Nicolosi**, Trustee  
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